

## PUPPET MASTER

All New Adventures Based On Characters And Situations Created In The Hit Movie

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## May The Puppet Master Rest In Peace? Sorry, No Can Do.

The Puppet Master series may have come to its more-than-satisfying conclusion-courtesy of David and Glenn-with this issue, but the tale of the Puppet Master and his deadly legacy will live on.

Response to the full color *Puppet Master* comic book has been excellent. Retailers, Distributors, Fans, and the folks at Paramount, Full Moon and Malibu have been pleased with the results.

Based on the success of the two Puppet Master movies, Full Moon has made plans for a third, utilizing several of the key story elements from Dave and Glenn's efforts in these pages. This will make Puppet Master the first "franchise" movie for the up and coming film production company. (For those unfamiliar with the term, a "franchise" film is one with sequel appeal, excellent licensing prospects and name value, featuring familiar elements from film to film and with many of the same cast. Star Trek and the James Bond series are perhaps the most famous franchises, as are the Freddy Krueger and Jason/Friday The 13th movies).

While Puppet Master III is set into motion (the script, which I keep on my desk, is a solid horror effort, guaranteed to please PM fans; it also features the debut of a new puppet!), Dave and Glenn are being re-chained to their drawing boards in Australia. Following a month-long tour of the States, which included a lengthy meeting with Charles Band, the guiding hand behind Full Moon, Dave and Glenn will begin work on Children Of The Puppet Master, a full color two-issue series set for August.

And while all of that is going on, work is progressing on other Full Moon/Eternity comic book projects. Subspecies made its debut in May, Trancers will appear in July, Dollman in September and Arcade in October.

It's a helluva year for both Full Moon Entertainment and Eternity Comics, and we're not even halfway through it yet. Bring your chairs together in a circle and lay in an abundant supply of Jiffy Pop. You won't be sorry.

-Tom Mason

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